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"I AM a Democrat, as you know," says Senator HILL, but in fact you don't know what a man is nowadays when he says he is a Democrat.

A PORTRAIT of President CLEVELAND, which hangs in the rooms of the Cook County Democratic Club at Chicago, has been cut to pieces. Whenever had little boys can't wallop their playmates they generally rovenge themselves on poor, defenseless toys. So-called Democrats have of late become quite famous for prattling the baby act.

INVESTIGATION of the work of the Kentucky tollgate raiders shows that 1,200 miles of turnpike has been thrown open by the raiders and is now traveled free of toll. The amount of damages for which the counties are liable in consequence of this lawlessness has not been estimated. Free pikes are nice things to have, but they come high when these needless costs of litigation are added.

EX-SENATOR JOHN J. INGALLS takes a rather gloomy view of the situation in Kansas. He believes that the leaders of the Populist party, which has captured the state, "contemplate a war of spoliation against society, based upon practical confiscation and a distribution of the assets of the community. It includes war on railroads and other corporations, the abolishment of laws for the protection of creditors and a redistribution of the state for Congressional and legislative purposes that will retain the party in the possession of power for an indefinite period."

This is a black picture. Let us see who is responsible for it, says THE St. Louis Globe-Democrat. A silver bullion deposit bill, with a conditional Free-silver clause, was, in 1890, changed in the Senate into an absolute and unconditional Free-silver bill, and passed in that shape in that body by a large majority. This free coinage substitute was the measure which forced the Bond Money Republicans to bring forward the compromise known as the Sherman Law, an act which, taken in connection with the dread of sweeping Tariff changes, caused by the Democratic victory in 1892, precipitated the panic of 1893. Both of the Kansas Senators, one of whom was JOHN J. INGALLS, voted for the Free-silver substitute, and one of them was the author of it.

Right there, and in the earlier votes in Congress on the silver issue Mr. INGALLS and other Kansas Republican leaders were seeing the wind which produced the whirlwind of 1893 and 1894. Not all the Republican leaders of that state were afflicted with the silver distemper, but enough of them were under its sway from the beginning to give a powerful cheap money tinge to the politics of that state.

Environment, of course,—proximity to the silver mining region—was the influence which cent Kansas over to the silver side, yet that state did not produce an ounce of silver. Her Republican leaders should have known that her position was that since seriously injured her credit in three-fourths of the country—in the very portion of the country in which, for business reasons, it was of vital importance for her to keep her credit unimpaired. In the recent canvass, to be sure, many of the local Republican chieftains who had been silver advocates along to that time accepted the true party doctrine as laid down in the St. Louis Convention and championed the gold standard, but they were necessarily impeded by their record. Their hearers and readers could not understand why the policy which these leaders along to that time said was good should all at once turn out to be vicious, and refused to follow them to the Bond Money side. Possibly the conversion of ex-Senator INGALLS and the other local magnates is genuine and permanent, but it was too sudden to be grasped by their neighbors. It is never too late to embrace the true faith, but

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If these leaders had taken their Damascus journey a year or two earlier they could have preached the honest money gospel with more effect in the recent canvass.

### CHANGING THE CALENDAR.

A Simple, Sensible System Proposed For Next Century.

The Scientific American says it is suggested that on January 1st, 1900, a new division of the year into thirteen months be instituted. If such a division were made the first twelve months would have twenty-eight days, or four weeks each, and the new month twenty-nine days, to make 365, and thirty in leapyears. After a few years there would be no need to refer to calendars, as the same day of the week would have the same date through the year. If January 1st were any Monday, every Monday would be the 1st, 13th, 25th and 26th; every Tuesday the 3d, 15th and 28th; and so on through the year. The changes of the moon would be on

about the same dates throughout the year, and many calculations, like interest, dates on maturing notes, Easter and many other important dates would be simplified. Although the present generation would have to figure new dates for birthdays and all legal holidays except New Year would be on different dates, yet the gain would be more than the loss, as that would be permanent and the objections trifling.

The Republican Silver Senators, who have just returned from the St. Louis Convention are wondering whether they will be invited into the Republican caucus.

Up to June 30th last the United States Government had disposed of 954,000,000 acres of the public domain, leaving over 600,000,000 acres still vacant, not including over 300,000,000 acres in Alaska.

Jerry Steinhilber, a prominent tobacco grower of St. Louis, states that there are many farmers of that county who have two and three years' accumulation of tobacco on hand, having been unable to dispose of it at rates admitting of a profit. Most of these men will give attention next year to other crops.

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## GEN. MACEO

### Making Successful Operations Against Weyler's Forces.

#### He Turned the Captain General's Left Flank on December 1.

Arriving More Than 10,000 Soldiers of Arms and an Immense Quantity of Ammunition, Medicines and Supplies—Francisco Gomez Safe.

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 11.—The head of the local Cuban committee Thursday received dispatches from Key West making absolute denial of the Spanish report from Havana of the alleged killing of Gen. Antonio Maceo. The dispatches state that at 9 o'clock Wednesday night Maceo was in Pinar del Rio province, and his army was making successful operations against Weyler's forces, and that by the turning of Weyler's left flank on December 1, Maceo had captured more than 10,000 soldiers, arms and an immense quantity of ammunition, medicine and commissary supplies.

The dispatches also stated that within the next three days the Cubans are likely to turn Weyler's other flank and win a decisive victory. Francisco Gomez has not been with Maceo in any of his recent movements, and is safe in Matanzas province. The head of the local committee said: "We know positively that the most sensational and glorious news for the patriots will come from Cuba on or about December 15. Texas is doing more to help the patriots than any other state in the union just now and is favorably located for effective aid."

Dallas and Galveston will be in closer confidential relations with Key West than will any point in the east for some time to come. The Dallas Cuban committee, through O. Paget Thursday night issued a call for a public meeting to be held in the auditorium of the city hall at 8 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Col. J. T. Trevant, president of the Texas state fair and Dallas position, and a confederate officer of prominence, has consented to preside. An effort will be made to have a large representation of the military and ex-federal soldiers in the meeting. One object of the meeting is to give general support to General Maceo, pressing his Cuban resolution in conference.

Luis Penuis, official head of the Texas State Cuban Junta at Galveston, and other Cubans have been invited to be present.

#### NEW TARIFF BILL.

The Ways and Means Committee will work on a bill to prepare one.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The committee on ways and means will go to work at once to prepare a tariff bill. This is the conclusion reached by the public members of the committee at a conference held Thursday night in the rooms of Representative Grosvenor, called by Chairman Dingel. The conclusion reached was the unanimous expression of the members present. In the preparation of the bill the committee will give of the hearings (the time when they shall begin, etc.) will be agreed upon. In case Judge Turner, of Georgia, a member of the minority of the committee should not be able to be present on Saturday, the meeting of the full committee will be postponed until such time as he can attend.

#### Gold Democrats Meet.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 11.—The national executive committee of the national democratic party met for its first meeting since election at the Bates house in this city Thursday afternoon, and in the evening enjoyed a little supper with Henry Clay, in the great of honor. The business of the afternoon was the auditing of the accounts of the committee during the first year. Accounts were found to be correct with a balance left in the treasury, not a large sum, but sufficient to seed out a good deal of literature before the next presidential election comes around.

#### National Secretary Conference.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—In accordance with the instructions of the republican caucus, Senator Sherman Thursday issued the following orders as to committee action: "The legislative action by this session looking to an international monetary conference, Senator Dingley, Mr. Chandler, Mr. Carter and Mr. Gear. This is considered as a conservative committee with majority friendly to international monetary action. The committee will be made among the democrats, and republicans say they have enough votes in sight to pass a bill in the interest of international bimetalism."

#### Berleise for the Cuban Army.

DAVENPORT, Conn., Dec. 11.—Leaves of absence has been granted Charles H. Bell and Adolph H. West, members of the Colorado national guard, who intend to start for Cuba next Sunday with 300 volunteers, all of whom have military training. They will assist in the insurgent army.

#### Movement of War Vessels.

THUNDERBOLT, Dec. 11.—The sailing of the Minneapolis from Jaffa for Smyrna and the arrival of the Amphitrite at Hampton Roads were reported in this city yesterday.

#### Execution in Walling's Case Saturday.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 11.—The court of appeals will render a decision Thursday on the appeal of William Walling, sentenced to death for complicity in the murder of Pearl Bryan.

## INDEPENDENCE OF CUBA

### Red Ties Adorned in the Senate Thursday—Political Division in the House.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The independence of Cuba and the recognition of the insurgents as a regularly organized government were introduced in the senate Thursday in the person of Senator Cullen (rep. Ill.) and called Gen. (rep. N.Y.). Mr. Cullen delivered a carefully prepared speech in support of his views, while Mr. Call countered himself with a free discussion statement. The bill to secure independence was introduced as an independent business motion by Mr. Cullen (rep. N.Y.). The bill was introduced in January having been introduced in the senate in the last session. The bill was taken up for consideration on Thursday. The bill was taken up for consideration on Thursday. The bill was taken up for consideration on Thursday.

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## THE REPORTS

### Concerning the Death of Gen. Antonio Maceo Confict.

#### His Physician Says the Noted Cuban Leader Was Killed in Battle.

On December 7 between the insurgents and the Spanish troops under Gen. Maceo, who was killed in battle.

HAVANA, Dec. 11.—Dr. Maximo Gertz, who was formerly Gen. Antonio Maceo's physician, has surrendered to Col. Tor at San Felipe, and confirms the reports of the patriot leader's death, which occurred at 3 p. m. on December 7, in the engagement between the patriots under Maceo and the Spanish troops under Maj. Ciriaco. The doctor stated that he was present at the battle and saw Maceo fall. He said that Maceo was killed in battle, and that he was not taken prisoner. The doctor also stated that he was present at the battle and saw Maceo fall. He said that Maceo was killed in battle, and that he was not taken prisoner. The doctor also stated that he was present at the battle and saw Maceo fall. He said that Maceo was killed in battle, and that he was not taken prisoner.

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## CONDENSED NEWS

### Dethroned From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Henry Nobel, the celebrated inventor of explosives, died at San Juan Wednesday.

The French consular office has received information of the death of M. Roussin, governor of French Indochina, at Hanoi.

The steel plant at Port Arthur, produced by experts as the most formidable coast defense vessel afloat, was put in commission Thursday afternoon at the Brooklyn yard.

A largely attended mass meeting of Roman Catholic citizens at Washington, D. C., was held Thursday afternoon. The meeting was organized by the National Catholic Council, and was held at the National Catholic Council, and was held at the National Catholic Council.

The secretary of state Thursday sent to the senate certified copies of the final accretion of territory to the United States, and the secretary of state Thursday sent to the senate certified copies of the final accretion of territory to the United States.

A dispatch from Caracas, on the northern coast of Spain, says: The North German Lloyd steamer Sava, from Bremen for Buenos Ayres, foundered off Villa Gracia, 50 miles north of Vigo. The vessel carried a crew of 50 men and a small cargo.

At Chicago Frank Maggill defeated Tom Gallagher in the fourth game of the Jennings-Silvers series. Maggill, 13, defeated Gallagher, 17.

After being in session for 25 days, the Alaska legislative assembly recessed until January 30, when they will resume for 25 days more. The greater portion of work done so far has been in the preparation of the constitution.

While unloading for a new building at the city hall, St. Louis Thomas Wilson had his right leg crushed. His cries attracted the attention of George Vieth, working on the iron framework of the third story. Vieth took his footing in looking out at Wilson and fell to the ground. His head struck an iron beam and he was instantly killed.

The St. Louis Ticket Scalpers association, composed of the ten leading ticket brokers in the city, was dissolved Thursday morning and a rate war is now in progress. The trouble grew out of a complaint filed against the association by the city.

The condition of Frederick Kott, confederate with Lady Tins Scott, John Cockerton and William Aylott, in the case of the St. Louis Ticket Scalpers association, was improved. He has suffered a relapse, but his condition is now such that he is all well and is in a critical condition.

Forecast for Friday, Washington, Dec. 11.—For Kentucky—Partly sunny; mostly clear, becoming rainy Saturday; mostly clear, becoming rainy Sunday.

For Ohio—Partly light to heavy rain; mostly clear, becoming rainy Sunday.

For Indiana—Partly light to heavy rain; mostly clear, becoming rainy Sunday.

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